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Commanding Officer  
Submarine Squadron 14  
Fleet Post Office  
New York, New York 09501

Dear [REDACTED]

I would like to express my gratitude for the gracious hospitality extended to [REDACTED] one of my photo interpreters, on the occasion of his visit to SUBRON 14 and the U.S.S. CANOPUS (AS-34), 18 and 19 June.

[REDACTED] reports that his reception by you, by [REDACTED] your Chief of Staff, and by [REDACTED] of the CANOPUS was most cordial. It was obvious to [REDACTED] that since SUBRON 14 was engaged in a very busy FBM-recycling schedule, the time that you and the officers and men of the Squadron took from normal duties to devote to his visit was very generous indeed.

You may be assured that the knowledge gained by [REDACTED] during his visit of the unique characteristics of forward-based FBM tenders is very valuable to us, and is already being applied to studies of Soviet naval systems. Again, my thanks to the U.S. Navy and to SUBRON 14.

Sincerely,

[REDACTED]  
Arthur C. Lundahl  
Director

National Photographic Interpretation Center

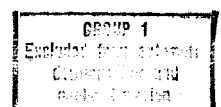
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